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Applicant(s): S. HIRAI, et al

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Group: 2622

Examiner: G. V. Madden

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

MS Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 July 8, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments.